

## WILLIMANTIC

### NORWICH BULLETIN

WILLIMANTIC OFFICE  
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What is Going On Tonight?  
Remembrance and Prayers Order of  
E. W. Willimantic Lodge, No. 1311,  
will meet at 7:30 p. m.

Eastern Star Lodge, No. 44, A. F. & A. M., meets at Masonic hall, Main  
street, at 7:30 p. m.

The clothing store of Messrs Haddad  
on Union street was broken into early  
Tuesday morning and clothing to the  
value of \$1,500 was stolen. The break  
was not discovered until Mr. Haddad  
opened his store for business Tuesday  
morning, when the police were im-  
mediately notified. There was no evidence  
that the thief or thieves had gained en-  
trance through the front door of the  
place, the only entrance. The party that  
opened the store evidently took his time  
and used good judgment in selecting the  
goods taken away. The best of the  
man's suits, twenty or more ladies' silk  
shirt waists, and other articles were  
taken, also ten dollars in change from  
the cash drawer. The safe here evidence  
of tampering with but had not been  
opened. The desk in the front part of  
the store had also been ransacked. Mr.  
Haddad stated that the robbery was  
pulled off after his son had closed his  
store at business around the middle of  
last morning. The police believe that the  
small window on the west side of the  
building was forced and the stolen arti-  
cles passed out that way to a vehicle of  
some kind that stood in the alleyway.

Specialist Frank P. Fenton, secretary  
of the selective service board for Dis-  
trict No. 16, including Canterbury, Plain-  
field, Chaplin, Hamden, Windham,  
Berkley, Pomfret, Scotland and Ster-  
ling, has received the list of draft dod-  
gers in this district from the war de-  
partment. These seventeen draft dod-  
gers, men who were, or should have been,  
registered in this district, who are list-  
ed as not having fully complied with the  
selective service regulations so have been  
placed as deserters. These names are  
not to be given for publication until the  
war department issues orders to that ef-  
fect, which will probably be after the  
local board has made an investigation into  
the record of each alleged "deserter."  
Thirteen of the seventeen names are  
foreign-born residents of this dis-  
trict. Over half of these aliens were not  
subject to the draft but should have  
been subjected to questioning which they fail-  
ed to do. Of the thirteen who are citi-  
zens, six are in Plainfield, two in  
Berkley, and one in Pomfret. The  
members of the local board were At-  
torney Bradford W. Danforth of Mon-  
mouth, Captain Frank P. Fenton, sec-  
retary; medical examiners, Dr. R. C.  
Watts, Dr. C. R. Simonds and Dr. Louis  
I. Mason. The board is to meet within  
a few days when the list will be checked  
up.

Judge L. P. Waldo Marvin's nomina-  
tion as judge of the superior court was

approved at the Tuesday session of the  
house and he will hold court in this  
city beginning Thursday morning. If the  
senate also approves his nomination.

Beginning Monday, May 9th, the  
American Thread Company's plant is to  
change its running hours as follows:  
The plant will open at 7 a. m., with the  
regular hour for dinner at 12 o'clock.  
Afternoons the plant will run from 1 p.  
m. until 4:30 p. m. On Saturday the  
plant will run from 7 a. m. until 11:15  
a. m. This gives the employees of the  
plant an extra hour of daylight after a  
day's work.

Al Topperman, champion trap shooter,  
and "Chief" Bender are to give an ex-  
hibition of shooting before a body of  
men in South Willimantic, Saturday after-  
noon at 3 o'clock. The South Willimantic  
men expect to start a gun club. A  
large delegation of men from this city  
will witness the shoot.

Special Investigator John B. Edgerton  
of Willimantic has been appointed to  
this district in place of John G. Wight-  
man of Stafford Springs for the past two  
years deputy automobile inspector of  
Tolland county. Mr. Edgerton is to be  
in this city one day each week with  
headquarters at the police station in the  
town building. Tuesday Mr. Edgerton  
met twenty-five residents in this sec-  
tion who desired automobile licenses.

Local No. 14, L'Union St. Jean Bap-  
tiste, nominated the following officers at  
a recent meeting: President, Joseph Le-  
fevre; vice president, Albert Bishop;  
recording secretary, Albert Lambert; fi-  
nancial secretary, Emile Dufresne;  
treasurer, Joseph Lariviere; master of  
ceremonies, J. F. Gaudreau; inside ward,  
Joseph Lariviere; outside ward, Charles  
Leffler; deacon, Alphonse Chagnon; past  
president, H. Dion. The officers are to  
be elected at the meeting to be held  
in June. District President Alexis Chaise  
spoke about the drive for funds for the  
French Boys' College at Woonsocket, R.  
I. The drive in this city begins in June.  
Ten organizations from St. Mary's church  
furnishing ten teams to canvass the city.

R. F. Richardson of the Willimantic  
State Normal School, gave an address on  
Mental Tests, at the Rockville High  
School hall Tuesday afternoon. His au-  
dience comprised teachers at the high  
school and all grade schools of that  
city.

Supervisor court opened in this city on  
Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, but was  
adjourned immediately by Sheriff Charles  
A. Gates, until Thursday morning at  
10 o'clock. States Attorney Charles E.  
Searle has stated that if Judge L. P.  
Waldo Marvin's appointment was not  
approved by the legislature there would  
be no qualified jurist to sit in Windham  
county, as all judges are busy in other  
counties. If the nomination of Judge  
Marvin is upheld court will come in  
Thursday, otherwise it will be deferred  
for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Knight of this  
city have announced the engagement of  
their daughter, Helen Aylesworth Knight  
to Edwin Ashley Barrows of Waterbury,  
son of Mrs. D. C. Barrows of this city.  
Mrs. Wallace Potter of Mansfield De-  
pot was a visitor in this city Tuesday.

Windham High and South Manches-  
ter High play ball in Willimantic this  
(Wednesday) afternoon. The local team  
has put in some stiff practice and are  
ready for the boys from Siltown. The  
rivalry between the two schools is keen  
and a fast game is looked for. Wind-  
ham will send the following men into  
the game: Fitzgerald or Ellison, a Cap-  
tain Sullivan, Burr, or Gates, p. Connel-  
ly, Thompson, B. Rabinowitz, ss, S.  
Heller, 2b, A. Heller, lf, Gerry, cf, Keon  
Rf, Prater and Obermayer utility. Shaun  
Sullivan is to umpire.

Edna Jones of this city, who has been  
held for some time by the federal au-  
thorities charged with resisting and ob-  
structing an officer and with having de-  
stroyed drugs libel by the authorities  
was released Monday by United States  
Commissioner Corbett, after a short  
hearing at Hartford before Assistant  
District Attorney Allan K. Smith. The  
government was satisfied with John's ex-  
planation of the affair. His ignorance  
that the man was a federal man and the  
destruction of the drugs through misin-  
terpretation of orders given was con-  
sidered and John was warned about  
dealing in impure drugs in the future  
and to give federal officers a better re-  
sponse next time.

The proceeds of the Charity dance for  
the free bed fund of St. Joseph's  
hospital, given at the state armory by  
the Women's Auxiliary to St. Joseph's  
hospital, reached \$581.00, according to  
figures announced Monday. This \$581.00  
was needed to complete the free  
fund and this amount has been turned  
over to the hospital. The remainder of  
the money will be used to purchase ma-  
terials for the sewing committee.

Funeral services for Edwin A. Loomis  
were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock  
at Lebanon Congregational church. Rev.  
Hollis A. Campbell conducted the  
services and read a committal service at  
the grave in the new Lebanon cemetery.  
J. M. Shepard was in charge of the  
arrangements.

Miss Mary McNamara died Monday  
night at St. Joseph's hospital, follow-  
ing a brief illness. She was born in  
Lebanon the daughter of Timothy and  
Pridget Brown McNamara, and had lived  
in Willimantic for a number of years.  
She is survived by a sister, Miss Mar-  
garet McNamara of this city and two  
brothers, John McNamara of Norwich  
and Timothy McNamara of Palmer,  
Mass.

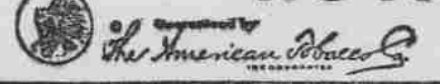
Everett E. Loomis, 59, died Monday  
at his home on Liberty Hill, from tu-  
berculosis. He was born in Exeter  
(Lebanon) April 23, 1862, the son of  
Charles and Ella Foss Loomis. Mr.  
Loomis received his early education in  
the schools of his home town. He was  
a graduate of Worcester Polytechnic  
Institute, class of 1895. For many years  
he was employed by the General Elec-  
tric Company at Schenectady, N. Y., but  
about two and a half years ago his  
health failed him and he returned to  
Liberty Hill. He was a member of the  
Liberty Hill Congregational church and  
the Christian Endeavor Society. He is  
survived by his wife, two sons, Warren  
R. and Lester Loomis; his mother, and  
a sister, Cordelia Loomis of Schenectady,  
and a brother, George Loomis, who lives  
in Nebraska.

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### COLCHESTER

The warden and burgesses held their  
first meeting since election on Monday  
evening in the parlor of the engine house.  
The new members of the board were  
sworn in.

Charles Lyman and son Charles W.  
were delegates of the local lodge of  
Woodmen of the World at the recent  
convention of the state held camp in  
Stamford.

The Old Guard band held a rehearsal  
Monday evening. Two new members have  
been taken in, which will strengthen the  
band they being first class players, one  
being a cornetist and the other a clarinet-  
ist.

The Colchester fire company held a  
meeting Monday evening.  
Oliver Woodhouse, lodge K. of P. held  
a meeting in Pythian hall Tuesday evening.  
Five new applications for member-  
ship were received and the first rank  
was conferred on four new applicants.  
Timothy O'Connell of East Haddam  
was in town Monday.

Daniel O'Brien was a caller in New  
London Monday.

Mrs. Julius W. Phelps and party of  
Westchester motored here Monday.  
William Donovan of North Westches-  
ter was calling on friends in town Mon-  
day.

John Huntley of Hebron was here Mon-  
day.

### STAFFORD

Miss Margaret Glover has been spend-  
ing a few days in Boston and Quincy,  
Mass.

The R. and B. club met with Miss Edna  
Bumbridge, Friday evening.

Miss Rachel Glover is spending several  
weeks in Worcester, the guest of Mrs.  
John Farnum.

The meeting of the Hillsdale Cemetery  
association will be held in Grange hall  
Saturday afternoon, May 7th.

For the next Universalist church sup-  
per the hostesses will be Mrs. H. F.  
Cady, Mrs. Sarah Black, Misses Booth  
and Mrs. Richard Farnum. The parish  
meeting will be held after the supper.  
The funeral of Mrs. Henry Fisk was  
held at her home Saturday afternoon at  
2 o'clock.

### JEWETT CITY

Frank Murach, an operative at the Nitro-  
sulfur company's mills got his left hand  
caught in the picker Thursday. His hand  
was taken off. He is a middle aged, mar-  
ried man with several children, living on  
Dime street. Dr. J. H. McLaughlin took  
him to Backus hospital in Norwich.

More or less confusion resulted at  
the Riverside Grammar school Tuesday  
morning when three or four hundred  
children arrived to attend the morning  
session. The arrivals were met by the  
teachers on advanced time as heretofore.  
The children were sent to their classes  
confined to pupils, a teacher or two  
showed up an hour ahead of the game.  
At a meeting held Monday evening mat-  
ters were settled for the time being.  
The school is to be held on the usual  
schedule hereafter, for well over 100 pu-  
pils to be out of the morning session in  
time to carry dinners to their elders in  
the several manufacturing concerns in  
the borough. This accommodating con-  
dition is now automatically stopped by  
the return to standard time, as per the  
text of the A. M. Brown resolution. Some  
considerable inconvenience and hardship  
to the workers is reported, and when it  
comes to hardships, it is to be consid-  
ered that some three hundred odd moth-  
ers had to get dinners at 12 noon by  
the mill time, and another for the school  
children, who arrived home one hour  
later at 12 noon, Eastern standard time.

At the May meeting of the board of  
borough government the contract for the  
road building on Anthony street and  
East Main was given to Lowell Wil-  
cox of Norwich Town. The bidding was  
\$1.40 per square yard, by a bare  
one cent per square yard, the price be-  
ing \$1.40.

A petition from over two hundred of  
the free-men of the borough was pre-  
sented to the board asking that Officer  
John Dolan, who was dismissed April  
15, for alleged misdemeanor, be reinstated.  
Without ceremony and without  
delay the petition was promptly  
tabled indefinitely.

Daniel Morgan was ploughing on his  
farm the other day when he came upon  
a killdeer's nest in the middle of a field.  
Containing four eggs. A man might  
search the town of Griswold for years  
and never come upon this very unusual  
find, even though he carefully combed  
every field within the limits of the town.  
The nest is just a slight depression in  
the ground usually scantily lined with  
bits of grass. The eggs are very hand-  
some, and in some of the collections of  
years ago, still treasured in the borough.  
A specimen will be found. They are of  
a buff-white, spotted and scrawled with  
chocolate.

There used to be the time here when  
all summer it would be hard, when  
afflicted, to get beyond the reach of the  
familiar notes of the killdeer. He is a  
noisy, restless bird, running rapidly on  
the ground and flying swiftly on an  
irregular course. Mr. Killdeer and his  
less attractive wife are not shy, but  
they have little confidence in man. Their  
sharp danger cry, of "kill-dee," when  
heard as they pass overhead in the  
night, is singularly noticeable and at-  
tractive.

Mrs. Eliza Saunders, of Norwich, a  
native of Jewett City, and a life-long  
resident here, was taken to the Backus  
hospital Monday in a serious condition.

An extensive system of cross-town  
moving platforms may be built in New  
York as feeders for the main subway  
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President Garfield and James G.  
Blaine were men who possessed un-  
equalled faculties, according to A. B. For-  
quhar, whose memoirs are appearing  
in System. Here is Farquhar's story.  
"Garfield afterward the president,  
was the most rapid reader I have ever  
associated with. When he was at  
attending together in the judge's library  
he asked Garfield if he had read a  
book which was lying on the table.  
Before he could answer Judge Black  
was called out of the room, and Mr.  
Garfield remarked to me:  
"No I never saw this book before."  
He took it up and turning the pages  
rapidly had gone through it by the  
time the judge returned, which was  
in about five minutes. Then he said:  
"Oh, yes, I have read it!" And went  
on to give a very interesting and pe-  
culiarly thorough criticism of the work.

"Afterward I told Judge Black that  
Garfield's acquaintance with the book  
extended back five minutes and the  
judge told me that was long enough for  
Garfield to get the gist of any book.

"Blaine had a marvelous faculty for  
remembering people. His friends claimed  
he never forgot any whom he  
had met or spoken to. I had heard of  
this and once, before I had met him  
I determined to test it. I met him com-  
ing out of his house at Bar Harbor  
and said:  
"Don't you remember meeting me  
at Altoona, where you made an ad-  
dress?"

"He shook his head: No, if I had  
met you I should remember it now."  
Then I went on to quote from his  
address and he answered.  
"Yes, your quotation is exact, but  
I have never met you. I had heard of  
this and once, before I had met him  
I determined to test it. I met him com-  
ing out of his house at Bar Harbor  
and said:  
"Don't you remember meeting me  
at Altoona, where you made an ad-  
dress?"

Birds and Cherries.  
Of course, there wouldn't be any cher-  
ries if there were no song birds. The  
bird puts the cherry on the tree; you  
shouldn't eat his own cherry. The  
farmer only holds a second mortgage on  
that cherry. He may think otherwise and  
kill the bird, then the bird won't get  
the cherry and neither will the farmer.  
The worm will eat the cherry, the aphid  
the slug, the mite, the blight, will get  
the cherry and the farmer's second  
mortgage will, according to John Bur-  
roughs, shrink not to inchoate right of  
dower, not to a contingent remainder,  
but to nothing, and if the performance  
should ever be acted with a full cast,  
the farmer himself avers Mr. Burroughs,  
who will in the end shrink to nothing.

In other words, were the million of  
bumble bees which the song birds of the  
state consume for food in one season  
released the forests and crops would  
be presently wiped out and with them  
the life of the people. Come back with  
the cherry and the farmer's second  
mortgage will, according to John Bur-  
roughs, shrink not to inchoate right of  
dower, not to a contingent remainder,  
but to nothing, and if the performance  
should ever be acted with a full cast,  
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is not one of the great seaports, but a  
bustling interior city—Ching-teh chen.  
This is the famous porcelain city.

tery center—the original home of the  
porcelain industry of the world. With  
the Chinese, Ching-teh chen and porce-  
lain are synonymous. It is a busy in-  
dustrial city and 300,000 inhabitants,  
two-thirds of whom are engaged in the  
manufacture and sale of porcelain. Ro-  
mantic, it is a city to stir men's souls.  
Longfellow, in his "Keramos," speaks of it.

Two very descriptive words are used  
by the Chinese in referring to the com-  
position of porcelain—"chi ku," or  
porcelain bone, and "chi ku," or porce-  
lain flesh. The former gives strength  
and brittleness to a vase or bowl, while  
the latter adds resiliency and toughness  
and of all these glazes are hauled to  
Ching-teh chen in the form of soft white  
bricks by small flat-bottom boats.

Thousands of Chinese boatmen are en-  
gaged in this work. After the glazes are  
thoroughly cleaned, sifted and refined,  
they are kneaded together in varying

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